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TARIFF WAR SIDE-TRACKED

RATE MATTER IS PEACEABLY
SETTLED BY GERMANY AND
UNITED STATES.

IT BENEFITS BOTH NATIONS

Each Country Makes Concessions.
Cattle and Dressed Meat Is-
sue Unsettled—Comes
Later.

Washington, Feb. 4.—Concessions by both the United States and Germany have averted a threatened tariff war. Negotiations have been concluded between the two countries which settle the question of minimum and maximum rates, with the exception of the cattle and dressed meat issue, which was eliminated from the present negotiations and which will be pursued here after in separate diplomatic representation. The result of the negotiations agreed today is to exchange Amer-

ican minimum rates for the entire and unqualified minimum list of Germany. The result is considered just and advantageous to both countries.

Official Statement.
In the following statement, issued at the State Department today, the details of the final agreement are given:

"A satisfactory settlement has been reached of the tariff negotiations with Germany which have been going on for some months under the president's direction. Under the administration there will be no tariff war or interruption of the commerce between the two governments. The magnitude of this business appears from the statement: that in the calendar year just closed the direct interchange of commodities between Germany and the United States exceeded \$409,000,000 and allowance being made for the German importations through other countries, the actual volume is probably in excess of \$500,000,000.

"The products of the United States will be assured the fullest opportunity to participate in the constantly growing business of the German Empire. This will be done on a complete equality with the competing products of other countries.

"By the terms of the commercial agreement which has been in force since 1907, Germany extended to the United States her conventional or lowest rates on about 100 out of nearly 1,000 tariff numbers. These 100 numbers covered a large percentage in value of the actual imports from the United States, but left many important commodities of American manufacture at a disadvantage in competition with similar products of other countries. This agreement expires Feb. 7. It was the earnest desire of the German government to reach a solution of the questions at issue so that the necessary legislation might be enacted to prevent any disturbance of existing commercial relations. The president fully reciprocates this sentiment.

PIONEER DEAD.

Evening News Special.

Konawa, Okla., Feb. 4.—Dr. W. C. Harp one of the older citizens of this section, died at home of his son, Isaac, at Vamoosa, last Wednesday. The doctor had been a sufferer of Bright's disease for some time, and while his death was not unexpected, it cast a gloom over the community. He was 53 years old and was widely known, a prominent Mason and Odd Fellow. The remains were laid to rest in the Violet cemetery.

Coming Soon.

At the Pastime the biggest Attraction ever shown at a moving picture parlor. Watch for date and don't miss it.

COUNTY TEACHERS MEET AT FRANCIS

ASSOCIATION HAS COMPLETED
LONG PROGRAM.

Several Ada Instructors on Program.
Association Meets on February
20th.

The Pontotoc County Teachers' association will meet at Francis, February 26. On Friday, February 25 at 8 p. m. Prof. C. H. Rogers of Guthrie will deliver an address entitled "The Character of George Washington," and a large audience is expected to be present on that date as well as on the following date.

The completed program follows:
1. Invocation.
2. Music.
3. Welcome Address: Lester Melaney, Francis.

4. Response: Clark Benson, Tupelo.
5. Waste of energy in the Rural Schools. A. D. Tanner, Mill Creek. Walter Teague, Black Rock.

6. Difficulties I Have Met In My School: J. C. Leazenby, Bokee, A. H. White, Maxwell.

7. School Room Decorations: Miss Mae Neal, Tyrone, Miss Mayme White, Center.

8. Compulsory Education: Phil McLachlan, Doiberg, R. Y. Kidd, Laxton.

9. The Relation of County and City Superintendents to the Teacher: Co. Supt. T. F. Pierce, T. W. Robinson, Ada.

10. The Value of the Study of Oklahoma History: C. H. Roberts, Prin. Logan Co. High School, Guthrie.

11. Professional Training: A. L. Pentem, E. C. N. S., Ada.

12. The Geography of History: Wm. Felter, Roff.

13. Essentials and non-Essentials in the Rural School Course of Study: R. C. Cunningham, Stonewall; W. O. Ledbetter, Pryjaco.

JANUARY WEATHER VERY CHANGEABLE

KEPT ONE BUSY CHANGING HIS
RAIMENT.

The Old Timer Talks of How It Was
Back in the Year of Forty-
Seven.

The month just ended was one of varied weather conditions. It kept you busy pulling off and putting on your overcoat, ear muffs and mittens. There was much sunshine and there was some cloudiness. There were days which started in cool and ended hot, and vice versa. Also there were days which started cold and ended the same way and vice versa, and there were days which started warm and ended the same way. Then there was a mixture of several different brands. The wind took possession of things several days, and there was that sort of January weather which causes the old timer to stick a pipe stem between his teeth, lay his feet on top of the stove and tell us what a time they had "way back in '47—just before the spring thaw. Then he scolds his children and grandchildren for complaining of the cold weather, telling them he backed wood all day long standing barefoot in snow during weather twice as cold as this when he was a boy.

Was a Good One.

"The Prince of His Race" at the Parks Opera House last evening was well attended in spite of the bitter cold, and the audience was well rewarded for their pains for this was one of the best shows for Ada this season. Each character handled well their part, and when Grayham comes again, which he says he will, he may expect a full house.

A "TARIFF WHITEWASH"

SENATOR ELKINS TALKS OF HIS
SIDE-TRACKED RESO-
LUTION.

ASKS ABOUT HIGH PRICES

Democrat Would Assist the Republi-
cans In Placing Blame for the
Increased Cost of Living
Expenses.

Washington, Feb. 4.—Bemoaning the fact that his resolution providing for an investigation into the high cost of living has been sidetracked by the senate leaders for the Lodge resolution, and that as a result he will probably not get a chance to help conduct the investigation, Senator Stephen Elkins of West Virginia told a few pathetic tales out of school at his own and Senator Aldrich's expense that scored several laughs from the senate and the galleries. He intimated that possibly the senate program now calls for "a tariff whitewash."

The Elkins resolution mentioned trusts, monopolies and the tariff as possible causes to be investigated, but the Lodge resolution does not mention the possible causes by name. Senator Elkins, in telling his troubles called attention to the fact that he had always been regular and had not gotten off the reservation, even during the tariff debate. "I voted for everything that was put up to us in the tariff bill fathered by the Senator from Rhode Island," he said "and it was the Rhode Island Senator's bill, for nothing went out of it that he did not order out, and nothing went into it that he did not want to get in. I voted for everything they put up to me in hopes of getting something myself for the industries in my section, and all I got was a few dribbles that fell on the outside of the pan."

Senator Stone suggested that the republican leaders mistrusted Senator Elkins, but Senator Bailey did not quite agree with that view and took occasion to pass to the West Virginia Senator this certificate of civic virtue:

"It was perhaps not that they distrusted the senator," suggested Mr. Bailey, "but it was probably a fear that they could not trust him to go around the tariff. The senator from West Virginia has more than once shown a disposition to get off the reservation, and I believe that if he found the tariff at fault, he would be frank enough to say so."

Senator Aldrich found it necessary to declare that a sweeping investigation would be made, and that if the tariff was responsible this would be determined by the committee. He said that when the resolution was brought into the senate, it was not sufficiently specific, it could be made so.

"Is it a tariff whitewash?" asked Senator Elkins. "Why did that idea creep into the public mind over night? The country is alarmed. This is a serious question. Thirty days ago I introduced a resolution which was broad and comprehensive. Up to this moment I can't get any action. I can't get it out of the pigeonhole of the committee." Senator Elkins protested further against treatment he had received. He aroused the laughter of the senate by his references to Senator Aldrich. He said he had been able to get no satisfaction out of Senator Aldrich on this matter. Of Senator Aldrich he said:

"He generally tells me when I ask him about anything, 'What is the matter?' or says 'You had better keep where you are if you know what's good for you.'"

Elkins' Resolution Reintroduced.

The discussion was ended by Senator Gallinger's calling for the regular order. Senator Elkins later reintroduced his original resolution, so changed that it provides for seven members instead of five on the com-

mittee, and that it be referred to the committee on Finance.

The reflections made by Senator Elkins on the effort to whitewash the tariff are generally looked upon as likely to prove of great importance before the senate leaders proceed very far in their effort to control the investigation into the cost of living in such a way as to shield the tariff from blame.

PIONEER ADA CITIZEN KILLED IN MEXICO

DIED BY THE HAND OF ANOTHER
AMERICAN.

Jack Mankins, an Ada Photographer
and Full Grown Sport—Looking
For His Relatives.

Jack Mankins, a well known Ada character during the pioneer days of Ada says a dispatch from El Paso was killed in San Diego, January 25th. Mankins had his photograph gallery on 12th street. Jack was a big, handsome dare devil kind of a fellow and put on frequent shows. His wife was famous in this section for her beauty. There was a little daughter in this family. The dispatch:

El Paso, Tex., Jan. 31.—A letter was received here today from Fred Farrell of Acaponeta, Tepic, Mexico, stating that Jack Mankins, a photographer believed to be a native of Texas, was killed at San Diego, that date, January 25, by another American. Farrell believes the dead man is a Texan and wants to locate his relatives.

W. B. Price of Konawa is in the city today on a business mission.

OKLAHOMA DEATHS.

Crescent City, Ok., Feb. 4.—Mrs. Nancy Gordon, who died at Crescent, was born near Yorktown, Ind., Dec. 11, 1827, and was 82 years old. Her maiden name was Stewart. She was married in Indiana to Robert Gordon, Sept. 19, 1848. To this union were born eight children, five girls and three boys.

Stillwater, Ok., Feb. 4.—Hiram W. King, an old soldier and a respected citizen of Stillwater, died at his home, aged 70 years of pneumonia. Mr. King left four children, none of whom live in Stillwater.

HIGHLY COMMENDED.

The prospective weather will give the Illinois Glee Club Quartet a full house at the normal school building. Please report early and get your seat Saturday night.

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Our prescription department is the pride of our store. We use only the purest drugs in filling prescriptions. We do not substitute. We employ registered druggists of experience in filling your prescriptions, and every prescription is double-checked before it goes out.

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Announcements

For County Treasurer.
J. K. SROOGINS,
J. W. WESTBROOK,
R. H. (RIT) ERWIN
For County Judge:
CONWAY O. BARTON
Justice of the Peace, Ada Precinct:
HENRY J. BROWN

WASHINGTON SOCIAL NOTES.

In one way Mr. Taft is making a
dandy president. That is socially.
He is much more socially inclined
than was Roosevelt, McKinley or
Cleveland.
The ladies say they enjoy Mr.
Taft's company very much, and that
they can always count on him being
"on the dot" at every function in his
class. They declare he is graceful
dancer, being extremely light on his
feet for such a heavy fellow. And
conversation! Why, as much as they
enjoy dancing they can while the time
away most pleasantly chatting with
our president. Another place where
Mr. Taft is "at home" is at the ban-
quet table.
And so we are pleased to know that
our president is enjoying himself.

MINE HORRORS.

The dead bodies of miners can no
be removed from coal mines until the
report of another horror has reach-
ed us. Chert was followed by Prim-
ero; Primero by Drakesboro and Pe-
oria, and these two by Las Esperan-
zas.
These explosions which came so
close together represent the killing
of several hundred men, leaving sev-
eral hundred widows and causing per-
haps a thousand fatherless children.
And yet we expect on any day to
read of hundreds more being blown
into eternity.
With this alarming death toll
wouldn't it be a good idea for the
government to create some mining
law for the inspection of mines?

A Youngsian pastor says there is
no harm in attending a horse race,
playing cards, to extreme, and for a
lady to miss religious services if she
has her house to attend to. He didn't
say so, but we suppose it would be
all right to break the Sabbath, too?
President Taft says he wants the
high cost of living investigated.
That's another name on the petition.

FARMERS STATE BANK.

As it is against the Banking De-
partment to allow overdrafts we have
tried to cut this out of our busi-
ness, and if you desire accommoda-
tions please make arrangements be-
fore checking on the bank. 411
FARMERS STATE BANK.

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If you are not in the market, we
will put your property on the mar-
ket and advertise it, which, if the
price is reasonable will insure you a
quick sale.

**The
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Carlton Weaver and
W. H. Clark, Representatives

TEXAN WOULD LIKE TO LIVE IN ADA

INTERROGATES EVENING NEWS
AS TO THE CITY.

Wants to Know if Negroes Live Here.

Mr. Vernon Man Is Painter
by Trade.

A letter has been received by the
Evening News from a Texan wanting
information, and the epistle, which is
dated Mount Vernon, Texas, leads off
as follows:

Mr. Editor, Kind Sir:—You will
find enclosed 25 cents in postage to
pay for 3 months' subscription of
your weekly paper. Let me know
through your paper something about
your town, what is the population of
Ada, have you any negroes in your
town, is Ada building, very much,
have you got good water, have you
got good soil for gardens, have
you got a laundry in Ada, how many
railroads have you got, churches and
schools, have you got a poultry yard,
any factories of any kind, how many
painters and paper hangers have
you got, I am looking for me a home,
I am a painter and paper hanger by
trade, do you think it would pay me
to locate in your town. I want to
come out there this spring. How is
the health of your town. So I will
close for this time hoping to re-
ceive a copy of your paper this week,
as ever yours

Route 3.

In reply, this paper begs to ad-
vise you through its columns that the
population of Ada is near the 7,000
mark. Negroes inhabit the city to a
small extent. Ada is building very
much. Water—you never drank
better. No richer soil for gardens,
anywhere. Got a laundry. Three rail-
roads—trains always on time.
Churches of almost all denomina-
tions. Three public school buildings,
all new, costing about \$80,000 and a
state normal, the building nearing
completion at a cost of \$100,000. Have
a poultry yard, too.

Factories, yes. Health is good. The
painting and paper hanging trade
is represented, and we think "always
room for one more" will work here,
but would not like to state positively,
but would suggest that you make
Ada a visit. If you did this the
chances are you would locate here.
Will have the secretary of the 25,000
club, Ada's Commercial organization,
send you some literature.

President Helps Orphans.

Hundreds of orphans have been
helped by the President of the In-
dustrial and Orphan's Home at Ma-
con, Ga., who writes: "We have used
Electric Bitters in this Institution
for nine years. It has proved a
most excellent medicine for Stom-
ach, Liver and Kidney troubles. We
regard it as one of the best family
medicines on earth." It invigorates
all vital organs, purifies the blood,
aids digestion creates appetite, to
strengthen and build up pale, thin,
weak children or rundown people it
has no equal. Best for female com-
plaints. Only 50c at Ramsey Drug Co.

By the way

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tra good bargain in
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Come and see the marvelous
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Have you seen our good Blue
Mottled White lined Granite
water pails for 50c.

Don't you know we sell full
size package Garden Seed 2
for 5c.

HALF SOLES

We have a gross of good full-
size leather half soles, while
they last 10 cents per pair
The always ready cobbler out-
fits, complete 55c.
Braes Padlocks, 10c and 15c.
Lamps—We have some remark-
able bargains.
Files—First class hand saw files
3-1/2, 4, 4-1/2 inch for 5c each.
Flat files, 6 inch 8c, 8-inch, 10c,
10-inch 12-1/2c, 12-inch 20c.
Shoe Tacks—Brass shoe nails
2 boxes 5c.
Carpet Tacks—600 count 5c per
box.
We have bargains galore, come
and see us.

**The Nickel Store
and China Hall**
S. M. SHAW, PROP.

ATTY. LEVY TO TAXPAYERS

Defends Council's Action in Awarding
Paving Contract to Shelby Down-
ward Asphalt Company.

(Adv.)
I am informed that petitions are
being circulated in behalf of Mr.
D'Yarmette, whom rumor has asso-
ciated with the Hahn Construction
Company of Ada, for the purpose of
requesting the council to reconsider
their action in awarding the contract
for paving to the Shelby Downward
Asphalt Co. of Ardmore, not having
had the time or desire to circulate
a petition in behalf of the latter
company, I take this means of pre-
sents a few facts to the public.

The bids as tabulated were as fol-
lows:
Metropolitan Co. \$86,633.00
Parker Washington Co. \$85,810.00
Shelby Downward Co. \$83,263.59
D'Yarmette \$83,321.30

The first three bidders had sub-
mitted bids for work at a prior let-
ting, the bids being as follows, to-wit:
Metropolitan Construction Co. \$—,
Bid withdrawn.
Parker Washington, \$97,000.
Shelby Downward Asphalt Co., \$86,
000.

Mr. D'Yarmette being present at
first letting, but not submitting a
bid, by a comparison of the prices
bid at the two lettings it can readily
be seen there is large difference in
the bids, excepting the bid of the
Shelby Downward Asphalt Co.

While it is true that the bid of
D'Yarmette is about \$43.00 low on a
contract approximating \$83,263, is
there such a great difference that
without any other circumstances be-
ing taken into consideration, would
justify Mr. D'Yarmette in charg-
ing the mayor and council with un-
fairness?

Mr. Downard is without doubt one
of the highest if not the highest
authority on rock asphalt in the
country. Under his supervision the
rock asphalt streets were laid in Ard-
more, Sulphur, Kansas City, Kan.
Kansas City, Fort Worth and Paris,
Texas, and other points while on the
other hand Mr. D'Yarmette openly ad-
mitted to the mayor and council that
he had had no experience whatso-
ever in laying rock asphalt pave-
ments and the writer is unable, al-
though he has diligently inquired
among contractors and others, to
find any contract Mr. D'Yarmette has
ever had for constructing any kind
of asphalt whatsoever.

Now, Mr. Taxpayer and Citizen as
a plain business proposition don't
you think that the expert knowledge
and experience of Mr. Downard in a
contract of this size is worth \$43 to
\$99. Mr. Downard has rock asphalt
plants and all the equipment neces-
sary to successfully lay the pave-
ment. Mr. Downard stated in open
council that he had a contract with
Mr. Herring of your city to furn-
ish him Ada asphalt, which state-
ment Mr. Herring himself substantiated,
and further stated that he
would use Ada asphalt in such quan-
tities and to such extent that the
same should meet with the specifica-
tions of the city and with which a
pavement, with a maintenance bond
for five years could be safely con-
structed.

The paving law provides that the
council shall let the contract to
the lowest and best bidder and may
also reject any and all bids. Statutes
which provide for letting public con-
tracts on competition usually grant
discretionary power to the city au-
thorities to determine what bid is the
most advantageous to the public in-
terest.

The determination of the city au-
thorities on questions of fact in de-
termining who is the lowest and
best bidder is regarded as final in
the absence of fraud or misconduct
and I hardly believe that Mr. D'Yar-
mette has the temerity to charge
either of these. As far as Mr. Down-
ard or his representative is concern-
ed no attack has been made on the
integrity of Mr. D'Yarmette's finan-
cial ability and ability to carry out
perfectly well the contract or to
his knowledge of the business. The
council in session at the time the con-
tract was awarded to Downard used
its discretion in considering the bids
as to which was the lowest and best.
I heard statements from each bidder
as to his ability, experience and var-
ious matters which might arise as
to the carrying out of the contract
and as to construction of the pave-
ment so that same would be durable
and permanent. The council took
into consideration the magnitude of
the contract and the trifling differ-
ence of \$43 between the bids.

Mr. Downard feels that he has
been fairly awarded this contract,
and that he can make fair profit and
still give the city a pavement that
will meet all reasonable tests, that
he has acted honorably and bid at
both lettings in good faith.

H. D. LEVY,
Atty. for Shelby Downward Asphalt Co.

Insurance.

Insurance that insures. The Weav-
er Agency.

STATE BRIEFS.

Money for the State.
Guthrie, Ok., Feb. 3.—The state will
receive approximately \$11,000 from
the estate of Route Pittman of Creek
County according to returns receiv-
ed here by state officers from ac-
crued officers of that county. The Pitt-
man estate, consisting mostly of val-
uable gas and oil lands, has been
appraised at \$112,000. Robert Pitt-
man, father of Route Pittman is sole
heir to the property.

More Employees at College.

Stillwater, Ok., Feb. 3.—Two new
live stock men have been added to
the animal industry department of
the A. and M. College. William
Carter, comes from St. Cloud, Minn.,
to take charge of the purebred
horses and cattle and J. C. Conner
comes from Jetersville, Va., to take
charge of the college and experiment
station sheep and hogs.

For a Soldiers' Home.

Barlesville, Ok., Feb. 3.—Col. Wil-
liam Higgins, commander of the Ok-
lahoma Department of the G. A. R.,
has been notified that a bill estab-
lishing a branch of the National
Soldiers' Home in Oklahoma is now
before a committee in the lower
house of congress and it is expected
to be reported favorably in a short
time. This is the home that the Ok-
lahoma department has been asking
for during the past year. The bill
was introduced in congress by Dick
Morgan, representative from the Sec-
ond District. It carries an appropria-
tion of \$100,000 and provides that
the home shall be established in the
Plyatt National Park at Sulphur.

Treasurer 38c Ahead in Half Year.

Guthrie, Ok., Feb. 3.—County
Treasurer Ritterbusch has accumulat-
ed an excess fortune of 38c. He is
perfectly willing to explain it, but
can not tell where he got it. Deputy
Examiner Jacob Mercer has completed
an examination of the accounts of
Mr. Ritterbusch. There are funds
in seventeen banks, and it is found
that the treasurer is "long" just 38c.
The county treasurer had on hand
at the last semi-annual settlement
\$159,490.92, and since the he has
collected \$166,546.79, and has paid out
\$312,106.67. The balance on hand
Dec. 31, 1909 was \$113,830.44.

Assessor's Questions—150 Per Farm.

Guthrie, Ok., Feb. 3.—Oklahoma
farm figures are to be secured by the
Board of Agriculture under a new
plan. Statistician J. L. McKeown is
sending out to township assessors
books, which, backed by new laws,
will bring results. The assessors
are given books containing 150 ques-
tions and are paid for getting these
figures. These books are to be turned
into the County Clerks, who are to
tabulate in another book. The fiscal
year closes in March. Statistician
McKeown lately completed the books
for the Michals. There are 916 mu-
nicipal townships and 5,000 books
have been printed.

EGYPT ITEMS.

Sunday school and church was
well attended Sunday. Brother Smith
preached an excellent Sunday morn-
ing sermon.
Most of the farmers are taking ad-
vantage of the beautiful weather and
are busily preparing their land for
the spring crops.
Best Duncan after a week's visit
with home folks here returned to
Texas Monday.
Brother Landreth will preach here
next Sunday.
Andrew Reed left Monday for Mo-
net, Mo.
Mrs. Walker of Ada was the guest
of Mrs. C. Palmer several days
last week.
Wallace Lynn is erecting a new
house on his farm.
J. L. Brown has purchased a fine
span of mules and will engage in
scientific farming this year.
Sam Agee has been going about on
crutches for several weeks on the
account of a badly sprained foot.
Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Hendricks and
children after an extended visit here
with friends and relatives, left for
their home in Texas Sunday. Mr.
Hendricks is an earnest young min-
ister and while here preached sev-
eral nights for us.
Marvin Floyd is erecting a new
house in this vicinity.
Mrs. Steele who has been very ill
for several weeks is slowly improv-
ing.
The Hustlers and Rustlers wish
to thank the people of Oakman and
Happy Land for their kind words
of appreciation and extend to them
a cordial invitation to come back
again.
Chas. Nail was an Ada visitor
Sunday.
Will Myers and Wylie Corvin re-
turned from Shawnee Sunday.

Sports

MAKES DEMAND OF MR. AD

Nelson Tells Wolgast to Push \$5,000
Over Board or Fight Second
Raters.

Push \$5,000 over the betting board
or fight second raters. This is the
demand battling Nelson makes of Ad
Wolgast, the Milwaukee Dutchman
who hopes to get a battle with the
Dane on the coast February 23, al-
though there is liable to be a hitch
yet and the bout declared off. Nelson
arrived on the coast Tuesday and the
first thing he did was to make good
what he told me he would do when
he was here a short time ago and
spent a week with Promoter Welch.
"The first thing I will do when I get
out on the coast will be to force Wol-
gast to bet that \$5,000 he has been
talking about," said Nelson. And that
was the first thing he tried to do
but the Milwaukee fighter has not
come through with the cash yet and
is not liable to. Nelson went from
Los Angeles to Frisco and there in-
tends to try again to make the bet
thing good.

Now it is just possible that the
Wolgast-Nelson battle will never take
place. There can be many things to
prevent it. In a few days time some-
thing can come up to call off such a
bout, especially where one fighter
is a little chilly in the underpinning,
as Wolgast appears to be. Nelson is
certainly not at all alarmed about the
result of the little bit with Mil-
waukee's "crab" or he would not
care to bet any of his Hedgewick
real estate. If Wolgast does not live
up to his agreement he can be ac-
commodated with a postponement of
the battle without much trouble, but
the Dane is in Frisco among his
friends and Ad will have to fight or
Nelson will make him look like the
four flusher king.

A whole lot of people are always
talking how youth will triumph, it
has in many battles, but I hardly
believe it will in this one, should it
take place as scheduled, unless Nel-
son has a decided reversal of form.
Of course here in Kansas City we
did not see Wolgast in the best battle
of his career by any means but no
fighter has any reason to make ex-
cuses for putting up poor battles at
any time. They are supposed to do
their best always. Dan Shay is some-
thing of a fight fan. He has seen
all the good boys in California and
knows a fighter when he sees his
glims on one. Dan says Wolgast is
young, aggressive, can stand punish-
ment and has a wallop. Quite correct.
Those are essential qualities to be

sure But Wolgast must have a wal-
lop better than any other lightweight
in the game and be able to stand
more punishment than the rest to put
Nelson on the shelf.

BYRNE SIGNS WITH PIRATES.

Third Baseman Says Broken Ankle
Has Healed.

Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 3.—Robert M.
(Bobbie) Byrne, Byrnsburg's third
baseman, who broke his ankle in the
last of the world's series games at
Detroit, has forwarded his signed con-
tract to the headquarters of the Pitts-
burg team Byrne writes that his broken
ankle has healed and that he is
in training and will be ready to re-
port March 10.

BURNS WILL FIGHT LANG.

Sydney, N. S. W., Feb. 4.—Tommy
Burns and "Bill" Lang, heavyweight
champion of Australia were matched
today to fight on March 29 for the
Australian title.

SPURNED; SLAYS SWEETHEART

University Student Then Kills Him-
self—Note to Relative Tells
Why.

Baltimore, Feb. 4.—Slijah Badal,
a Persian student in the University
of Maryland, today shot and killed
his sweetheart, Miss Marie Lewson
of Portland, Me., also a student in
the university, and then committed
suicide. That the murder and sui-
cide had been premeditated for weeks
was revealed in a letter written by
the Persian to an uncle in Des Moines.
After relating the trouble between
himself and the girl the nephew de-
clared in the letter that he would
have to kill her. He wrote that his
landlady had become enamored of
him and in her efforts to interest him
in her, the letter declares that
she told lies to Badal's sweetheart
about him.

He declared that he secured the
services of an attorney to prove that
the landlady was lying, and that she
finally admitted that such was the
case, but the girl, poisoned by the
insinuations of the landlady, refused
to believe him.

Capital Hill Improvement.

Capital Hill addition is on a boom.
S. W. Hill has bought three acres
and intends to erect a concrete home.
A. B. Meyer has exchanged his
handsome brick home in Donaghey for
vacant Capital Hill lots, and will
build an elegant concrete home
thereon at an early date.

Here You Interested?

If you are interested in investing
in city realty, vacant or improved,
business or residential, see W. H.
Clark or Carlton Weaver, with the
Weaver Agency. d.f.

Have you a home? Do you want a home?

If you want a home in one of the most delightful parts of the United States and where you can raise from three to four crops a year and each crop will yield from \$100.00 to \$1,000.00 per acre, call and investigate.

This land is being placed on the market under a cash guarantee, and we are in a position to prove all our statements.

The tracts are sold on monthly payments

and the first crop after the land is in a good state of cultivation will pay all expenses of buying the land and putting in cultivation. Sixty days is given the purchaser to investigate and if not just as represented, all money paid will be returned and if purchaser will buy a sufficient number of tracts, all expenses will be paid to investigate proposition.

For full particulars inquire for
A. B. TULL
OFFICE: back of M. & P. Bank, ADA, OKLA.

The Florida Land Sales Company, (Limited)

FREE SOUVENIRS

Besides getting the BEST COFFEE and the benefit of 35 year's experience in selecting and blending coffee. In each three pound can of **White Swan Coffee** our famous there is a handsome cup and saucer.

Waples-Platter Grocer Co.

Ada, Oklahoma

Farmers State Bank

YOUR BANKING BUSINESS with us will receive our most careful attention.

F. O. HARRISS, Cashier.

CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

Smith Sells Furniture, at Stall, the photographer, phone 176.

Famous Bradley jam potatoes 50c a peck. Call 139.

Mrs. Orvil Wright of Francis, is in the city today.

Money Back Flour, the best on earth, at Walsh's.

Prescriptions properly prepared—the G. M. C. way.

G. B. Stone of Muskogee, is a business visitor in Ada today.

Try a sack of the celebrated Nebraska flour at R. S. Tobin's.

J. W. Davis returned this morning from a trip through Missouri and Kansas.

Insurance against tornadoes is in order as the cyclone season approaches. Weaver Agency.

The Order of Eastern Star met last night and initiated two candidates. Delicious refreshments were served.

The Calumet free baking school is drawing a large number of ladies every day in the building on Main street.

Geo. Grant, an expert machinist, of Kansas City, is in the city making an inspection of the machinery of the Ada Ice & Fuel Co.

We observe the Sabbath by closing our doors on Sunday. Persons wishing prescriptions filled may phone No. 60 or 302 and we will open for them only. Ramsey Drug Co.

Otis B. Weaver has been appointed state committeeman for Pontotoc county for the Democratic party vice Sam McClure, resigned. Sam's announcement as sheriff will evidently appear shortly. Otis will make a good committeeman.—Roff Eagle.

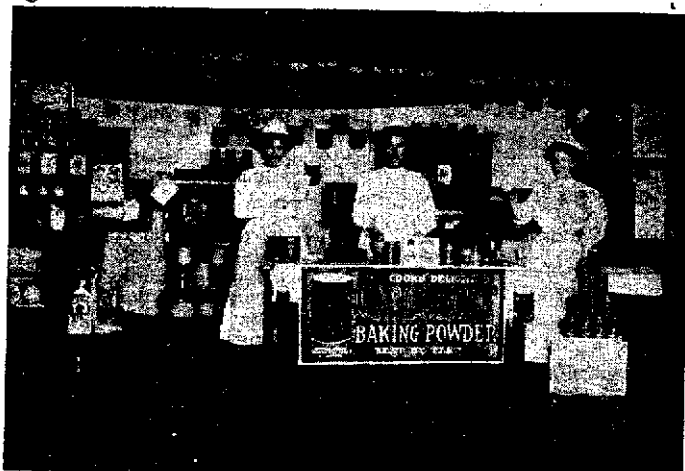
Tonight and Saturday afternoon the Pastime will show the great New York Zoological Garden, the largest collection and finest specimens of wild animals in the world. Interesting to everybody. Educational to children bring them to the matinee. Three other fine subjects.

A NEW ENTERPRISE

Broadway Grocery Store Phone 70. Get your order in early before 10 a. m. and 4 p. m. as that will be our delivering time until put on general delivery wagon.

Our motto: Clean and Fresh—Price Correct.

W. H. PATTERSON.



Calumet Baking Powder Co's.

"FREE BAKING SCHOOL"

AT I. HARRIS' OLD STAND, NEXT TO SURPRISE STORE.

SATURDAY

PUBLIC DEMONSTRATIONS

DOES GOOD WORK FOR MACCABEES

STATE DEPUTY MISS BARNES GOES TO SAPULPA.

During Her Stay in Ada She Added Several Members and Aroused Interest.

Miss Joale T. Barnes, state deputy commander of the Maccabees of the World, who left Ada yesterday for Sapulpa did some very good work for that organization during her stay of three weeks in the city. She secured several applications for membership in the order and renewed interest among the members.

At a regular meeting on January 22 Miss Barnes installed officers, and on the 25th a call meeting was held at the home of Mrs. R. O. Lawrence when the names of the applicants were accepted. They were initiated last Monday.

The membership of the local lodge is highly pleased over the efforts of Miss Barnes' campaign and feel that the order is wonderfully advanced.

ONE GRAVE HOLDS BOTH CHILDREN

PARISH CHILDREN ARE BURIED AT ROSEDALE.

Poor Water Is Held Responsible for Presence of Typhoid at the Tents.

The two children of Mr. Parish who died, one Tuesday night and one Wednesday night, were yesterday buried in one grave at Rosedale cemetery.

The Parish family lives in two tents near the Oklahoma Central depot and are in hard circumstances. The United Charities association is clothing and feeding them. The husband and a 16-year old son have been employed as section hands by the Oklahoma Central, but have not worked for some time, principally on account of attending to the sick children. The presence of typhoid fever at the tents is attributed to the well water. It is expected this well will be condemned and filled up.

It will be recalled that about two months ago a boy from Texas died here while boarding with the Parish family in the tents. The cause of his death was also typhoid.

D'YARMETTE TO THE COUNCIL

Asks That Body to Set a Date by Reconsidering Its Action in the Paving Deal.

(Ada.)

Ada, Okla., Feb. 3, 1910.

To the Honorable City Council:

Gentlemen:—Since a majority of the Council, at least, seem perfectly willing to reconsider the matter of letting the paving contract, for which I am very thankful, I ask that you vote to reconsider all your next meeting, next Monday night and set a time for hearing, at which time I shall be glad to present my witnesses and propose to show that I am as well, if not better qualified, than any bidder, to fill the contract; well, at which time, I propose to refute any charge that has been made against me, and invite any other bidder to be present.

I am before you for any kind of an investigation, as to my integrity, financial ability and ability to carry out perfectly well the contract and as to my knowledge of the business.

I will do exactly what I say and if awarded the contract I propose to use the Ada Rock Asphalt, not only here at Ada, but in a much larger contract which I now have in Oklahoma City.

No harm could come from a reconsideration and I promise to take only a few minutes of your time and I think I deserve this, in view of the fact that I had the lowest bid and my bid was not put up and formally rejected and, in view of the fact that I presented my bid in a clean manner, making no charges against any other contractor and meeting fully all the requirements, and in view of the fact that if the contract had been awarded to me it would have met the approval of the great majority of the property owners adjacent to the paving, and who pay for the paving.

In justice to me, and in order to save an expensive delay to the city and my self, I most respectfully ask you vote to reconsider the bid, and after a fair hearing it can be shown that my bid is not the lowest and best, no harm will be done, and the taxpayers may fully justify your actions in awarding the contract to a higher bidder.

Very respectfully,
E. C. D'YARMETTE.

DEATH CLAIMS MRS. DILLING

Dies of Pneumonia—Yesterday Afternoon After Illness of One Week.

Mrs. E. E. Dilling, died at her home on Fourth and Ash streets in North Ada at five o'clock yesterday afternoon following an illness of one week of pneumonia. Interment will be at Rosedale this afternoon. Mrs. Dilling was 80 years of age and leaves a husband and six children, one only a few days old, to mourn her loss. The family has lived in Ada but a short time.

JOE'S ARKANSAS TRIP

Joe Fleming returned on Monday from a trip through Arkansas. Joe claims he saw several interesting sights while in that state.—Roff Eagle.

Among which was the razor-backed hog, hey, Joe.

KATY CASHIER PULLED OFF

The Position Abolished—Agent Green Will Have to Eat on the Run.

C. F. Green, agent for the Katy in this city, this morning began doing the work of four men. H. A. Wingo, who for a few weeks has been cashier was yesterday laid off. This will force Mr. Green to do the cashier job. All the assistance furnished him now is one operator and a warehouseman. He is compelled to work day and night to keep the business in shape.

But Mr. Green is not alone in this condition. About the same way all over the Katy.

MR. DAN CUPID GETS LAZY

Not a License Issued for Almost a Week—And February a Short Month.

Cupid is off the job now days. In fact, he hasn't been on it for six days, the last license being issued on January 29. This is unusual in this county, but when there is a lay off of a day or so the license business picks up mighty fast so at most any time we may expect a half-dozen or more couples to arrive for the papers. But February is a short month—better hurry up.

NEGRO EMBEZZLER ARRESTED

Frank Smith Wanted at Bristow, Walks Right Into Chief of Police Clasp.

Frank Smith, a negro known as "Black Diamond" who formerly lived in Ada was today arrested by Chief of Police Oliver on a notice from the marshal of Bristow where Smith is wanted for embezzlement. The chief knew Smith and met him near the court house and took him to jail. The negro says he's not the man wanted and that he hasn't been to Bristow.

NORMAL ENTERTAINMENT.

The last number of Normal school lyceum course at the normal building Saturday evening is going to be the best. The entertainment is known as the Illinois Glass Club Quartet and Swiss Bell Ringers and is everywhere spoken of in highest terms. Be sure you hear them.

A Telephone Message

To us is all that is necessary to have your kitchen supplies replenished. Our high-grade

Groceries

are sure to please, and most important of all the prices are right. When down town come in and take a look at our stock and learn the prices.

Yours to please,

J. M. Stanfield

Phone 122

Statement of Condition of Merchants and Planters State Bank at Close of Business, January 31st, 1910			
RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans and Discount	\$47,797.63	Capital Stock	\$100,000.00
Furn. and Fix.	3,048.34	Undivided Profits, less expenses Paid	1,302.26
Overdraft	1,702.42	Deposits	\$2,000.00
Warrants	3,752.26		
Guaranty Fund	1,375.00		
Cash and Sight Exchange	17,875.22		
Demand Loans (Grain)	4,912.75		
	\$80,464.32		\$80,464.32

THE ABOVE STATEMENT IS CORRECT
B. H. MASON, CASHIER.

Deposits Guaranteed By Depositors Guaranty Fund

OFFICERS.

C. H. Rives, President. J. W. Davis, Second Vice-President.
M. B. Donaghey, First Vice-President B. H. Mason, Cashier

DIRECTORS.

C. H. Rives, E. S. Tobin,
A. B. Tull, M. Levin,
B. H. Mason, R. C. Donaghey.

GEO. A. HARRISON Real Estate Dealer

FARM LOANS AND REAL ESTATE INVESTMENTS

LAND—I sell it in all size tracks, and in all parts of Oklahoma and West Texas. I have unusual facilities for investments for non-residents, in high grade farm or city property. I net investors from 10 to 20 per cent. I have loaned over \$50,000 without the loss of a single dollar. Careful and personal attention to all investments.

Geo. A. Harrison

ADA, OKLA.

QUILT, EDGE, REFERENCE, FURNISHED ON DEMAND.

Hot and Cold Stuff

Manufacturers of Ice Wholesale and Retail Dealers in Coal Long Distance Phone 29

Ada Ice and Fuel Co.

We sell the best Fancy Lump Coal, and to insure clean coal to our customers, we load our wagons with forks. We have our own wagons which insure prompt service. OUR PRICES ARE RIGHT. CALL US UP.

Bargains in Real Estate.

We have some splendid bargains in business and resident property. If you want to invest in something gilt edge, and that will pay good dividends, put your money in Ada real estate. If you want to sell, list it with us.

THE WEAVER AGENCY

"WASTE NOT, WANT NOT"

A good economizer practices that good rule. If you wish to save instead of waste, come to us. We can, after years and years of experience, very quickly tell you how to save money in buying shoes—it is a secret—"never buy any shoe except the tip-top grade." Good shoes may cost a little more, but they will out wear cheaper ones.

We carry the best shoes made for men, women and children.

See what we offer, then judge for yourself.

Chapman The Shoe Man
E. Main Ada, Okla.

THE Ada National Bank

From the day of its opening, July 23, 1900, down to the present time the business of this bank has gone forward without interruption.

Has accommodated more farmers than any bank in the county

Has assisted more local enterprises than any other bank in the city

If you have unfinished business with this bank for 1909 attend to it at once

Ada National Bank

LOCAL MARKET.

Lambert & Harrison Brokerage Company's bulletin F O B Ada Corrected daily)

Wheat	.08
Spring Chickens	10
Cooters, each	15c
Turkeys	12 1/2
Ducks	.06
Geese	.05
Eggs, fresh, case included	\$6.50
Butter, country made	18
Lard, each	15
Green hides	98
Wool hides, at value	

REAL ESTATE NEWS.

\$7,750—Two story business building in business center renting for 75 Good terms

\$350—An acre on corner in Capital Hill

\$1,200—3 room house and four business lots on corner of Stockton and 12th

\$800—Pair of prettiest corner lots in Donaghey in one-half block wide and two of Normal

\$2,100—Five room house and 100 feet in most beautiful section of northeast part of city If you want something extra good this will please you Half cash will handle it

\$500—1 lot and a half close to Sun-ise in Donaghey Terms easy

\$750—Pair of Main street lots half way between postoffice and Normal school Terms

\$550—Lot and half on corner opposite brick home of A. B. Meyer in Donaghey Terms

\$600—Four room house and 75 feet adjacent north school building, well fruit trees Terms

\$6,500—Business house in the heart of business center, Main street, renting for \$50 Terms

\$1,300—Five room house 75 feet from on east 14th Choice location for convenient down town home Rents for \$15 00 Terms

\$3,200—Two business lots on West Main Interest in Stone wall Terms

\$2,750—Four business lots and good frame house on East Main Terms

\$200—An acre in South Side addition Two if you desire

\$2,000—Beautiful south side home Five room house upgrround tank, barn sidewalk etc 100 feet on corner This sum was refused for this more than a year ago. Will go quick at this

\$2,400—140 feet front on South Broadway Good house, bearing fruit trees and concrete sidewalk Choice location for home Half down balance to please

Rare bargains in Main street business property

ADA REAL ESTATE AND COLLECTION AGENCY

O. E. LANCASTER, MANAGER
Will collect your accounts, will rent your houses and will sell them for you
OFFICE: M. & P. BANK

Sweet Milk Wanted!

Parties having one or more milk cows and sweet milk to spare may find a ready market for same at my

CREAMERY AND ICE CREAM FACTORY
AFTER FEB. 1

I would like to consult with prospective customers

R. L. McGuyre

TRAVELERS REGISTER.

Harris—D Wachmacher, Dallas, O
J Church, St Louis, L C Decuss,
Muskegoe A L Dalton, Oklahoma
City, W G Shaffer, Kansas City, G B
Stone, St Louis, Wm Hardewicke,
Kansas City, D A Patten, Kansas City
J Hey, Kansas City D M Loomes,
Muskegoe, W S Sale, Oklahoma City,
R E Phillips, Oklahoma City Roy
Kinkade, St Louis, J B Vickers,
Shawnee, A W Frederick, Shawnee,
C C Stout, Denison, M C Crews, Ft
Worth, C M McGakin Muskegoe,
Thad Moody, Sasakwa, A F Crummei
Kansas City J R Thompson, Ft
Worth Z K Cromwell, Kansas City,
T E Burns Kansas City, G A An-
erson, Oklahoma City Bill Haynes
Kansas City, H V Haraway Dallas
Joe Station Pucell I W Williams,
Purcell C S Saffell, C J Galliger A
L Kikham Oklahoma City Jno
Crowe St Joe W F Miller, Oklaho-
ma City, M B Reynolds, Oklahoma
City

Byrd—J M Griffice/Yeager Okla-
D J B Keneth, M McMullin B B
Davenport Shawnee T J Brown,
Dallas Sam Park, Whitewigh, W
P Price, Konawa, J W Shaw, Chick-
asha, S Louis Tom Sanders, Den-
son Mrs G W Bango McAlester W
B Rucker, Tecumseh J M Rucker,
Los Angeles, Calif, T J Holt Kansas
City

FIRE ALARM

It is understood by all concerned that a more uniform system of handling a Fire Alarm be adopted, to be as follows

1 The Alarm shall be given to the Central operator, giving the Ward and nearest street crossing The party turning in the Alarm shall stay at telephone until they receive the O K from the opera or

2 The operator shall then give the address to the driver at the fire station

3 The operator shall then turn the Alarm to the general Alarm The Whistle The Engineer shall (1s) give friek whistle followed by—

First Ward One Blast
Second Ward Two Blasts
Third Ward Three Blasts
Fourth Ward Four Blasts
Main Street Five Blasts

Central can not give correct address unless it is given o them correct! Any one calling for Fire Station shall call 159 No Fire"

HARRY PARKS, Chief

WANTS

Advertising under this head will be charged at following rates:

One insertion, per word . . . 1c
Addition insertion, per word 1-2c

WANTED.

WANTED—Four boarders, \$400 a week Mrs L O Harris, corner 10th and Rainey St 3t

WANTED—Two ladies clothes ironers by Monday Must be experienced Ada Steam laundry 4-3t

WANTED TO RENT—A four room cottage not too far out Apply at H C Evans 27t

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping Mrs R G Lambeth Corner 10th and Rainey 2t

FOR RENT—One unfurnished room close in Inquire Mrs. Gornie a Rack- et store 29-1w

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Setting Plymouth Rock eggs 16 for 50 cents Mrs Smootz, Telephone 202 2t

FOR SALE—Two mule teams and wagons U G Winn tf

LITTLE LOSS BY FIRE IN JANUARY

BARELY EXCEEDS TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY DOLLARS.

Twelve Alarms Turned in During the Month, One Half of Which Were False.

The damage by fire during the month of January was high Twelve alarms were turned in to the department and one half were false

Following is the record for the month

John Rhoad 18th and Rainey, damage to roof about \$5

George Gier rent house East Main practically no loss

Ada Compress company, rent house near compress loss about \$250

Residence on 12th and Stockton practically no loss

W C Tollow barn 12h and Broadway about \$5 loss

Grass fire near compress, no loss

The month showed great improvement on the part of the fire cam

CURIOUS CUSTOMS OF ASSAM

Not the Least Peculiar Among Them Is That Known as Doing "Genna."

Among the inhabitants of Assam there are curious customs described by a recent traveler "The local nobleman who had consented to help the cook in return for his food plus pay had complained in the morning of a stomach ache the result probably, of a too liberal diet at my expense I had dosed him with strong ginger, but evening found him still in pain, and he refused to take more He expected one dose to effect a magic cure, and if it did not he considered the medicine was not worth taking a second time An evil spirit had got hold of him he confided to me and the only sure remedy was to propitiate it by sacrificing a white fowl To do so with full ceremonial three whole days apart from the world were necessary, and therefore he had to tender his resignation

"He came to see me a few weeks ago in Sadiya and was much hurt at my mildly suggesting that the evil one' had been a surfeit of pork The custom of shutting angels self off from contact with ones fellows is common all along this frontier, on such occasions as a birth, a death, sickness, or some other unusual occurrence It is called doing genna, and takes place whenever the slightest ground can be found for it

"There is a story of a certain well known frontier officer being refused admittance to a house where usually he was an honored guest On asking the reason he was told that the house hold was doing genna' as the family's female dog had just produced pups"

HAD CHOICE BETWEEN EVILS

Bachelor Could Not Save Rug and Be in Time for the Theater—Still Has the Rug.

A theater party waited half an hour the other evening for one belated individual who arrived breathless and profusely apologetic Apologies entailed explanations and explanations revealed some of the exigencies, as well the humor, of bachelor make-shifts

In this case the gentleman who was tardy found it imperative to economize space Necessity made his opera hat share a closet shelf with the Farragon vinegar and the olive oil used at occasional evening spreads One could multiply proverbs in telling the tale, for in his haste to be on time the vinegar and the oil came down unexpectedly with the opera hat, and deposited their contents upon his latest acquisition, the Shervan rug he had just treated himself to

It was ruin the rug or be late to the party, so, up came the rug on went the water in the bathtub, and to scrubbing fell he The rug was saved, and the theater party enjoyed the laugh they had over the tale

Good Letter Writing.

"Authors, my altogether dear woman, can't write letters At best they squeeze out an essay now and then" James Russell wrote to this effect precisely 40 years ago in addressing Miss Norton, and he added "They are thinking of their punctuation, of creating their 's and forgetting their 's, and cannot altogether forget themselves in their correspondent, which I take to be the true recipe" The assertion of fact is true enough, the author is seldom a good letter writer He is apt to be like Dr Holmes, only a very good correspondent as a reader of letters" But with Lowell's explanatory principle one is tempted to quarrel The best letter writer does not forget himself in his correspondent, he leaves it to his correspondent to do the forgetting

Don't waste your money There are plenty of good uses for it Don't pay 40 to 50 cents a pound for baking powder K C Baking Powder is guaranteed to do better work, and it saves you 30 cents on a pound can.

HAD OTHER USE FOR CLOTHES

Wife's Admitted Purpose Probably Didn't Add to Hubby's Enjoyment of the Evening.

There's at least one little nub of a man over on the West side who jumps through doughnuts when his wife's around. She is a large person with definite opinions about any given thing and she can give him one look and wither him up like dried beef

Not long ago this man and his wife were invited out to dinner She went early in the afternoon, and he was to go home from the office, change his clothes and get around to the scene of the dinner festivities as soon as he could

When he started to dress he ran across a large pasteboard box in a clothes closet containing a black sack suit that he hadn't seen for months and which his wife had told him was lost or stolen He decided to surprise and delight her by wearing that suit and showing her that the lost was found

Well, here's what happened, according to eye witnesses—and this is one of those true ones His wife gave him a cold storage look and inquired right sharply where he got that suit He told her

"And after this," says she raising her voice to its height, "don't you wear clothes that have been put away without asking me I was saving that black suit for your funeral"—Cleveland Plain Dealer

HARD TO REGULATE READING

Normal Boy and Girl Have Tastes Which They Should Be Allowed to Indulge.

Much nonsense has been put forth about the regulation of children's reading This is a late day to attempt a rigid censorship of an urchin's literary acquaintances, and as for leading him there is probably no method better than that of our grandfathers—to turn him loose in a man's library and let him taste its strong fare For the rest any normal boy ought to relish the absurdities of the ding novel, and any natural girl ought to be able to wallow in the sentimental fairy tale Blood curdling adventure is as necessary to the diet of the one as sugary romance is to that of the other Even the watery pap provided by the average Christmas book or in the pages of the ordinary children's publication probably does little harm if less good to the adolescent morale

But we have a class of writers 'for youth' whose influence is really demoralizing It is their postulate which the comic supplement develops to the point of nausea We mean that order of scribbling parasites who make a business of flattering children into the belief, or the 'working hypothesis,' that they are 'wiser and better than their elders'—New York Post

The Moor and His Horse.

The horsemanship of the Moors is primitive and entirely successful, says the London Speculator A Moor never walks when he can ride, and never by any chance gets off to ease his beast How a Moorish pony would have chuckled at the weary palks on forced on tired men by well meaning cavalry colonels in South Africa "I don't think much of animals that can't carry 15 stone 16 hours a day. I must be a really superior kind of beast"

The Moorish (and Goumier) horse always spends his night in the open, he is never groomed nor clipped, his 'youth is passed wandering untended over the vast fields When in work he gets all drink before his feed in the evening From 7 a m to 7 p m he expects to work and to work hard without bite or sup His saddle is a wooden tree superimposed on at least half a dozen folded blankets, the thickness of which often reaches six inches, and he never gets a sore back

Friend with Good Intentions

Mrs Holt could be depended upon at almost any time to say the wrong thing with the best intentions in the world "Nobody minds what poor dear Fanny Holt says," her friends told each other when repeating her remarks "We know she means all right"

Isn't it queer how differently things affect people" one of Mrs Holt's neighbors said to her the other day after a beach picnic "We both got tired to death, you and I, but you say you've had just a little bit of indigestion while I have this fearful blind headache"

"Why, that's perfectly natural," said Mrs Holt, cheerily "Of course when people are tired out it goes straight to the weakest part of them Mine is my stomach and everybody knows yours is your head, poor dear!"—Youth's Companion

Preocious Boston Youngster.

A boy aged three years, named Gordon F Parent, the son of a Boston grocer's assistant, was sent to school a fortnight ago. His progress has been so rapid that he has mastered the contents of the first primer, and can now read elaborate sentences without prompting As the child appears nervous and high strung a doctor has advised that he should be allowed to rest for fear of injuring his brain

Specifications.

"My son, having graduated, is now looking for a position."
"What kind of a job does he want?"
"One that will allow him two months off in summer and six weeks every fall to coach his old college football team"—Louisville Courier-Journal.

LEADING PROFESSIONAL MEN

Zeb B. Sanders R M Roddie

SANDERS AND RODDIE
ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW

Offices First National Bank Bldg.
Phone No 300

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Over Ada National Bank
Consultation Free

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Bank Ada, Okla

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Lawyers

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TIME TABLE NO. 12

Effective August 8, 1909

West Bound		East Bound	
Daily No. 1	Daily No. 2	Daily No. 1	Daily No. 2
A.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.
8 30	5 30		
8 55	5 05	LEHIGH	
9 17	4 44	Booneville	
9 37	4 24	Nixon	
9 47	4 14	Tupelo	
10 02	4 00	Stonewall	
10 25	3 40	Frisco	
10 40	3 20	Truax	
10 55	3 00	Center Crossing	
11 13	2 54	Vances	
11 33	2 35	Stratford	
		BYARS	
12 00	2 10	Rosedale	
12 15	1 55	Vincennes	
12 40	1 40	PURCELL	
7 00	1 05		
8 00	1 17	Gibbons Spur	
8 10	1 27	Washington	
8 40	1 57	Blanchard	
8 58	2 16	Middleberg	
9 15	2 33	Tabler	
9 27	2 45	Cornville	
9 35	2 55	CHICKASHA	
A.M.	P.M.		

B. M. BAILE, Traffic Manager
Parcell, Oklahoma

Church Directory

"EVERY BOY AND GIRL IN SUNDAY SCHOOL AND EVERYBODY AT CHURCH."

Asbury Methodist Church.

Services every Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and evening at 7 15
Sunday school at 9 45, T. W. Robb, sop, superintendent.
Junior League at 2 p m with Mrs. C W Shepard
Intermediate League at 3 o'clock.
Senior League at 6 p m
Woman's Home Mission is and 3rd Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.
MARSHALL DUPREE, Pastor.

Presbyterian Church.

Services Sunday morning at 11 and evening at 8 00 J D White, pastor
Sunday School at 9 45, Orville Sneed, superintendent. Junior Endeavor society meets every Sunday afternoon at 2 30 Ladies Aid Society meets every Monday afternoon at 2 30

First Baptist Church.

Sunday school 9 45, W C Duncan, superintendent. Preaching 11 a. m. and 8 p m J R Union, 4 p. m. S R Union 7 p m Ladies Aid and Mission Society Monday, 4 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday 8 p m. C STUBBLEFIELD, Pastor.

Christian Church

Services Sunday morning at 11 and Sunday evening at 8 00 Rev C. E. Smutz, p tor
Sunday School at 10 a m, L T Walters, superintendent
Ladies Aid meets first and third Wednesdays and C W B M first Thursday in each month Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening at 8 00
The Christian Endeavor Society meets at 3 p m

First Methodist Church.

Services Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and Sunday evening at 8:00 Rev W M Wilson, pastor
Sunday School every Sunday morning at 9 45 o'clock, T F Pierce, superintendent. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening at 8 00 Intermediate and Jr Leagues meet Sunday afternoon Home Mission Society meets every Monday afternoon at 3 p m, ex-ternoon at 3 o'clock Bible study Friday night at 7 30

North Ada Baptist Church.

Sunday school 10 a m each Sunday B Y P C 8 p m each Sunday. Prayer meeting 7 15 each Tuesday night
Preaching 11 a m, and 7 15 p m. on the 2nd and 4th Sundays in each month
Business conference on the First Tuesday night in each month
O E FOWLER, Pastor
A. N HARRISON, S S Supt and Church Clerk

LODGE DIRECTORY.

W. O. W.

Ada Camp, No 563, Woodmen of the World, meets every 1st and 3rd Monday nights at 1 O O F hall. Visiting Woodmen are always welcome

Ada Aerie, No. 1748.

Meets every Wednesday evening in hall on South Townsend

I. O. O. F.

Ada lodge No 82 O F meets every Thursday evening A. T. Deaton, N G, C J Chauncey, secretary

Ada Rebekah Lodge No. 144.

Meets first and third Tuesday nights of each month Noble Grand, Mrs C M Chauncey; Secretary, Mrs Olive Baker

Magnolia Lodge K. of P.

Magnolia Lodge No 146, K. of P. meet every second and fourth Tuesday nights in each month. U. G. Winn, Chancellor Commander; J. W. Westbrook, Secretary

FRISCO.

Effective 12 01 a m, Jan. 2, 1910.

NORTH BOUND

No 508 at 10 32 a m
No 514 at 5 04 p m.

SOUTH BOUND.

No 509 at 10 05 a m
No. 507 at 5 27 p m